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Semiannual Regulatory Agenda

AGENCIES: Department of Defense (DoD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: This agenda provides summary descriptions of regulations

being developed by the Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council in compliance with Executive Order 12866 "Regulatory Planning and Review." This agenda is being published to allow interested persons an opportunity to participate in the rulemaking process.

The Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Secretariat has attempted to list all regulations pending at the time of publication, except for minor and routine or repetitive actions; however, unanticipated requirements may result in the issuance of regulations that are not included in this agenda. There is no legal significance to the omission of an item from this listing. Also, the dates shown for the steps of each action are

estimated and are not commitments to act on or by the dates shown.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: DoD, GSA, and NASA, under their several statutory authorities, jointly issue and maintain the FAR and prescribe the FAR system. Revisions to the FAR are made through periodic issuance of Federal Acquisition Circulars (FACs).

Dated: September 18, 1996.

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4348	FAR Case 92-50, Double-Sided Copy	9000-AG41
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4352	FAR Case 94-712, Multiyear Contracting	9000-AG63
4353	FAR Case 93-10, Legal Proceedings Costs	9000-AG65
4354	FAR Case 95-007, Responsibility Determinations	9000-AG66
4355	FAR Case 95-305, Federal Acquisition and Community Right-To-Know	9000-AG68
4356	FAR Case 95-002, Application of Cost Accounting Standards Board Regulations to Educational Institutions	9000-AG71
4357	FAR Case 93-303, Disaster Relief Act	9000-AG77
4358	FAR Case 95-304, Uruguay Round	9000-AG80
4359	FAR Case 95-303, Restrictions on Certain Foreign Purchases	9000-AG82
4360	FAR Case 93-009, Contingent Fee Representation	9000-AG83
4361	FAR Case 94-767, Assignment of Claims—Presidential Delegation	9000-AG91
4362	FAR Case 94-011, Predetermined Indirect Cost Rates	9000-AG92
4363	FAR Case 94-606, Part 31 Agency Supplements	9000-AG93
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4369	FAR Case 96-302, Justification and Approval Thresholds	9000-AH00
4370	FAR Case 94-782, Small Business/Simplified Acquisition Threshold	9000-AH08
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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE/GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (FAR)**

Proposed Rule Stage

4271. • FAR CASE 96-306, EXCEPTION TO REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFIED COST OR PRICING DATA

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 4.702; 48 CFR 12.209(e); 48 CFR 15.106; 48 CFR 15.8; 48 CFR 16.203-4; 48 CFR 25.901(b); 48 CFR 31.206-26; 48 CFR 52.215-2; 48 CFR 52.215-26; 48 CFR 52.215-41 to 43

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: To implement the changes to the Truth In Negotiations Act regarding commercial items and exceptions to the requirements for cost or pricing data.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/07/96	61 FR 41214
NPRM Comment	10/07/96	
Period End		
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4272. • FAR CASE 96-305, TWO-PHASE DESIGN BUILD SELECTION PROCEDURES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.106; 48 CFR 5.204; 48 CFR 14.202-1; 48 CFR 14.211;

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48 CFR 36.1; 48 CFR 36.2; 48 CFR 36.3; 48 CFR 36.4

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: To implement section 4105 of the Fiscal Year 1996 Defense Authorization Act which authorizes the use of two-phase design-build construction procedures. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/07/96	61 FR 41212
NPRM Comment Period End	10/07/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4273. • FAR CASE 95-034, NOVATION AND RELATED AGREEMENTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 42.1203; 48 CFR 42.1204; 42 CFR 53.242-1

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To facilitate the processing of novation and change-of-name agreements. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/21/96	61 FR 43294
NPRM Comment Period End	10/21/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4274. • FAR CASE 96-314, PROCUREMENT INTEGRITY

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.106; 48 CFR 3.1; 48 CFR 3.7; 48 CFR 4.803; 48 CFR 9.105-3; 48 CFR 9.106-3; 48 CFR 9.505; 48 CFR 12.5

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: To amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation to implement Section 27 of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP) Act, as amended by Section 4304 of the Fiscal Year 1996 National Defense Authorization Act also known as the Federal Acquisition Reform Act. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866 dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/06/96	61 FR 47390
NPRM Comment Period End	11/05/96	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4275. • FAR CASE 96-307, APPLICATION OF SPECIAL SIMPLIFIED PROCEDURES TO CERTAIN COMMERCIAL ITEMS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 5.203; 48 CFR 5.207; 48 CFR 11.002; 48 CFR 11.104; 48 CFR 12.2; 48 CFR 12.302; 48 CFR 12.6; 48 CFR 13; 48 CFR 52.213-4; 48 CFR 52.213-5

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: This rule implements section 4202 of the Federal Acquisition Reform Act of 1996 (Pub. L. 104-106). Section 4202 requires revisions to the FAR to incorporate special simplified procedures for the acquisition of certain commercial items with a value greater than the simplified acquisition threshold (\$100,000) but not greater than \$5 million. The purpose of this revision is to vest contracting officers with additional procedural discretion and flexibility, so that commercial item acquisitions in this dollar range may be solicited, offered, evaluated, and awarded in a simplified manner that maximizes efficiency and economy and minimizes burden and administrative costs for both the Government and industry. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/06/96	61 FR 47384
NPRM Comment Period End	11/05/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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**4276. • FAR CASE 95-029, PART 15
REWRITE - PHASE I**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.102; 48 CFR 2.101; 48 CFR 14.404-1(f); 48 CFR 15; 48 CFR 36.524; 48 CFR 52.215; 48 CFR 52.236; 48 CFR 53.2; 48 CFR 53.302

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This rule makes substantive and substantial revisions both to the fundamental concepts and processes used in Federal negotiated acquisitions. Major policy shifts in this proposed rule include (1) a narrower definition of "discussions" limited to communications after establishment of the competitive range; (2) a shift in competitive range policy to encourage retaining only the offerors with the greatest likelihood of award and allowing the contracting officer to further limit the competitive range in the interest of efficiency; (3) encouragement of communication with industry throughout the solicitation process to ensure competitive range determinations are informed decisions; (4) release of the Government estimate to all offerors; (5) amendment of the solicitation, at any time prior to award, including amendment of the evaluation factors and subfactors; and (6) authorization to use techniques such as multi-phase proposals or oral presentations. In addition, a streamlined solicitation/contract format and simplified contract forms were developed for use in negotiated acquisitions.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/12/96	61 FR 48380
NPRM Comment Period End	11/12/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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**4277. • FAR CASE 96-005,
PERFORMANCE-BASED PAYMENTS**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 52.232-32

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To address residual material and certain liability provisions at 52.232-32, Performance-Based Payments. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/10/96	61 FR 47798
NPRM Comment Period End	11/12/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AH22

**4278. • FAR CASE 96-312,
CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106, sec 4301

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.106; 48 CFR 3.502-2; 48 CFR 4.102; 48 CFR 6.302-

3; 48 CFR 8.002; 48 CFR 8.2; 48 CFR 9.5; 48 CFR 12.5; 48 CFR 19; 48 CFR 23; 48 CFR 29; 48 CFR 31; 48 CFR 49; 48 CFR 52; 48 CFR 53; ...

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: To remove particular certification requirements for contractors and offerors. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/12/96	61 FR 48354
NPRM Comment Period End	11/12/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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**4279. • FAR CASE 94-772,
REORGANIZATION OF FAR PART 13,
SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION
PROCEDURES**

Priority: Other Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 4.800; 48 CFR 12.102; 48 CFR 13; 48 CFR 16.7; 48 CFR 41.202; 48 CFR 43.301; 48 CFR 49.002; 48 CFR 49.501; 48 CFR 52.101; 48 CFR 52.102; 48 CFR 52.103; 48 CFR 52.107; 48 CFR 52.213; 48 CFR 52.252; 48 CFR 53.213

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To reorganize part 13 for clarity and make other changes to facilitate the use of electronic

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commerce in contracting. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/13/96	61 FR 48532
NPRM Comment	11/12/96	
Period End		
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4280. • FAR CASE 95-032, INDEPENDENT RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT/BID AND PROPOSAL COSTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 1996 AND BEYOND

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-18

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend cost allowability criteria for independent research and development and bid and proposal cost. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/00/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4281. • FAR CASE 95-022, CHANGES IN CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION AND AUDIT COGNIZANCE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 15.809; 48 CFR 42; 48 CFR 52.216-7; 48 CFR 52.216-13

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To add policies and procedures for assigning and performing contract audit services and to clarify the policy for assigning or delegating responsibility for establishing forward pricing and billing rates, and final indirect cost rates. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/00/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AH27

4282. • FAR CASE 96-602, FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 8.401; 48 CFR 8.402; 48 CFR 8.404; 48 CFR 38.000; 48 CFR 51.203

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation with respect to

using Federal Supply Schedules. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/08/96	61 FR 52844
NPRM Comment	12/09/96	
Period End		
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4283. • FAR CASE 92-013, FOREIGN ACQUISITION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 15.106-1; 48 CFR 25; 48 CFR 52.225-1 TO 52.225-18

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend the Federal Acquisition Regulation to rewrite guidance and clauses on foreign acquisition. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/00/96	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4284. FAR CASE 89-12, PAY-AS-YOU-GO PENSION COSTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 30; 48 CFR 31

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend the FAR to revise the cost allowability criteria for pension costs.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	03/29/89	54 FR 13022
Interim Final Rule - 2nd Publication	10/00/96	
Final Action Effective	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4285. FAR CASE 93-308, MENTOR PROTEGE PROGRAM

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: PL 102-190; PL 101-510

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 19.702; 48 CFR 52.244-5

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This interim rule amends the FAR to allow mentor firms under the Department of Defense Pilot Mentor-Protege Program to be granted credit toward subcontracting goals under small business subcontracting plans entered into with any executive agency. The rule also will permit mentor firms to award subcontracts on a

noncompetitive basis to protege firms under Department of Defense or other contracts. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	10/00/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4286. FAR CASE 95-003, IMPAIRMENT OF LONG-LIVED ASSETS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To clarify the allowability of losses recognized when carrying values of impaired assets are written down for financial reporting purposes. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	12/14/95	60 FR 64254
Final Action	10/00/96	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no

statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4287. FAR CASE 93-024, ALLOWABLE COST AND PAYMENT CLAUSE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 52.216-7; 48 CFR 52.232-7

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This rule clarifies payment provisions for large business prime contractors which are awarded cost-type contracts. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/21/95	60 FR 66472
NPRM Comment Period End	02/20/96	
Final Action	10/00/96	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4288. FAR CASE 94-605, CONTRACTORS' PURCHASING SYSTEMS REVIEWS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 44.302

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This final rule amends the FAR concerning requirements under Contractors' Purchasing Systems Reviews (CPSRs). This regulatory action

was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/21/95	60 FR 66472
NPRM Comment Period End	02/20/96	
Final Action	10/00/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4289. FAR CASE 89-42, LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: PL 100-656, Sec 304

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 19; 48 CFR 52

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: Amends the FAR to require a prime contractor to pay liquidated damages upon a lack of good faith effort to meet its small business subcontracting goals.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	07/21/89	54 FR 30703
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AD20

Abstract: To amend the FAR to implement section 319 of PL 101-121, which added a new section 1352 to title 31 USC entitled "Limitation on use of appropriated funds to influence certain Federal contracting and financial transactions." Section 319 generally prohibits recipients of Federal contracts, grants, and loans from using appropriated funds for lobbying the executive or legislative branches of the Federal Government in connection with a specific contract, grant, or loan. Section 319 also requires that each person who requests or receives a Federal contract, grant, or cooperative agreement, in excess of \$100,000, or a loan or Federal commitment to insure or guarantee a loan, in excess of \$150,000, must disclose lobbying with other than appropriated funds.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	01/30/90	55 FR 3190
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4291. FAR CASE 91-91, PROMPT PAYMENT ACT

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 32.102(d); 48 CFR 32.902; 48 CFR 32.903; 48 CFR 32.904; 48 CFR 32.905; 48 CFR 32.906(a); 48 CFR 32.907-1; 48 CFR 32.910; 48 CFR 52.232-5; 48 CFR 52.232-8(b); 48 CFR 52.232-25; 48 CFR 52.232-26; 48 CFR 52.232-27; 48 CFR 52.232-28

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: Revises FAR for compliance with OMB Circular A-125, Prompt Payment Act.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/06/94	59 FR 23776
NPRM Comment Period End	07/05/94	

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AF61

4290. FAR CASE 89-93, IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ANTI-LOBBYING STATUTE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: PL 101-121, Sec 319

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 3; 48 CFR 52

Legal Deadline: None

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4292. FAR CASE 91-109, ARCHITECT-ENGINEER SERVICES

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 36.601-3; 48 CFR 36.601-4

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Office of Federal Procurement Policy has directed revision of the Federal Acquisition Regulation to clarify the description of services considered to be architect-engineer services.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4293. FAR CASE 91-78, SMALL BUSINESS SUBCONTRACTING REPORTING

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 53.219

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council are proposing to amend FAR 53.219 to authorize the addition of a column to the Standard Form 295, Summary Subcontract Report, to report the number of subcontracts awarded to small business concerns, small disadvantaged business concerns, and women-owned small business enterprises.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/26/94	59 FR 49037

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	11/25/94	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG04

4294. FAR CASE 94-753, TRAVEL COSTS

Priority: Other Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 103-355

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-46

Legal Deadline: Final, Statutory, October 1, 1995.

The Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act eliminated the statutory requirement to the travel cost principle concerning the Federal Travel Regulations. No regulatory implementation was required.

Abstract: This rule is issued pursuant to the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994, Public Law 103-355 (the Act). The Federal Acquisition Regulatory Council is considering amending the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) as a result of changes to 41 USC 22 by Section 2191 of the Act. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993. However, the proposed rule would permit contractors to propose alternative rates to those prescribed in the FTR/JTR.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/14/94	59 FR 64542

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	02/13/95	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

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4295. FAR CASE 92-54, ENVIRONMENTALLY PREFERABLE PRODUCTS

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 42 USC 6901; EO 12873

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 7.1; 48 CFR 10.0; 48 CFR 11.004; 48 CFR 15.605; 48 CFR 23.201; 48 CFR 23.203; 48 CFR 23.4; 48 CFR 23.7; 48 CFR 36.6; 48 CFR 42.302; 48 CFR 52.210-5 to 52.210-7; 48 CFR 52.223-4; 48 CFR 52.223-8 to 52.223-10

Legal Deadline: Other, Statutory, April 18, 1994.

RIN published as an interim rulemaking in Federal Acquisition Circular 90-27.

Abstract: The Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council have agreed to an interim rule amending the FAR to incorporate policies for the acquisition of environmentally preferable and energy-efficient products and services. This regulatory action was subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	05/31/95	60 FR 28492
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a

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paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4296. FAR CASE 91-118, PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUND TRANSFER

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 32.9; 48 CFR 52.232

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend subpart 32.9 and to add solicitation provisions and contract clauses at 52.232 to implement guidance to address the use of electronic fund transfers for Federal contract payments. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/03/95	60 FR 51766
NPRM Comment Period End	12/04/95	
Interim Final Rule	08/29/96	61 FR 45770
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG49

4297. FAR CASE 93-26, BUSINESS MEALS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To clarify when the costs of meals for contractor employees are allowable. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/21/95	60 FR 43508
NPRM Comment Period End	10/20/95	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG59

4298. FAR CASE 93-19, CONTINGENT FEE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-38

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This rule amends the FAR to limit the allowability of contingent fees. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/26/95	60 FR 54920
NPRM Comment Period End	12/26/95	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG64

4299. FAR CASE 92-035, CLAUSE FLOWDOWN

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 46; 48 CFR 52

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This proposed rule amends the FAR to reduce the number of contract clauses requiring flowdown to subcontractors. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/27/95	60 FR 67024
NPRM Comment Period End	02/26/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4300. FAR CASE 91-119, BUY AMERICAN ACT-CONSTRUCTION (GRIMSBERG DECISION)

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 25; 48 CFR 52

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This proposed rule amends FAR parts 25 and 52 to add guidance on requests for exceptions to the Buy American Act for construction. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget

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review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/27/95	60 FR 67028
NPRM Comment Period End	02/26/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4301. FAR CASE 92-613, CONTRACTOR OVERHEAD CERTIFICATION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-1; 48 CFR 31.205-13

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This proposed rule modifies the allowability criteria for the cost of gifts and entertainment. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/29/96	61 FR 14216
NPRM Comment Period End	05/28/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4302. FAR CASE 94-008, OFPP POLICY LETTER 93-1, MANAGEMENT OVERSIGHT OF SERVICE CONTRACTING

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 9.505-3; 48 CFR 9.507-1; 48 CFR 35.017-2; 48 CFR 37.000; 48 CFR 37.102; 48 CFR 37.5

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This proposed rule amends the FAR to provide agency guidance on the management of service contracts.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/03/96	61 FR 14946
NPRM Comment Period End	06/03/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4303. FAR CASE 95-17, FINAL OVERHEAD SETTLEMENT

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 4.703; 48 CFR 42.705-1; 42 CFR 42.705-2; 48 CFR 52.216-7; 48 CFR 52.216-13; 48 CFR 52.216-15

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This proposed rule amends the FAR to improve the process of final settlement of contractor overhead rates. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1996.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/29/96	61 FR 39518
NPRM Comment Period End	09/27/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4304. FAR CASE 95-019, CONSIDERATION OF LATE OFFERS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 14.304; 48 CFR 15.412; 48 CFR 52.214-5; 48 CFR 52.214-7; 48 CFR 52.214-32; 48 CFR 52.214-33; 48 CFR 52.215-9; 48 CFR 52.215-10; 48 CFR 52.215-36

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This proposed rule amends the FAR to acknowledge hand-carried offers (bids and proposals) in the FAR and broaden the conditions under which late offers for negotiated procurements can be considered.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/25/96	61 FR 18480
NPRM Comment Period End	06/24/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4305. FAR CASE 94-723, MODIFICATION OF EXISTING CONTRACTS

Priority: Other Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 103-355, sec 1002

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.103; 48 CFR 43.102

Legal Deadline: Other, Statutory, October 1, 1995.
 Rule published as interim rulemaking in Federal Acquisition Circular 90-38.

Abstract: This interim rule amends the FAR to implement section 1002 of the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act (Public Law 103-355) which authorizes regulations to provide for modification of existing contracts without requiring consideration, upon request of the contractor, to incorporate changes authorized by FASA. This regulatory action was subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	04/29/96	61 FR 18915
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4306. FAR CASE 95-301, IRREVOCABLE LETTERS OF CREDIT (ILCS) AND ALTERNATIVES TO MILLER ACT BONDS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 28.001; 48 CFR 28.1; 48 CFR 28.2; 48 CFR 52.228

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This interim rule amends the FAR due to the requirement to implement OFPP Policy Letter 91-4 (previously considered under FAR Case 91-113, Irrevocable Letters of Credit) and provide alternatives to Miller Act Bonds, as required by Section 4104(b) of the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994 (Pub. L. 103-355).

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	06/20/96	61 FR 31651
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4307. FAR CASE 96-310, INAPPLICABILITY OF COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS TO CONTRACTS AND SUBCONTRACTS FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 12.214; 48 CFR 12.503(c)(3); 48 CFR 12.504(c)(3)

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: To provide guidance to contracting officers on applicability of

the cost accounting standards to contracts for commercial items.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/21/96	61 FR 32312
NPRM Comment Period End	08/20/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4308. FAR CASE 95-306, COLLECTION OF HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES/MINORITY INSTITUTIONS AWARD DATA

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: EO 12928

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 26.2; 48 CFR 52.226-00

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To implement Executive Order 12928, which states that agencies will provide periodic reporting on their progress made in awards to Historically Black Colleges and Universities and Minority Institutions. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31792
NPRM Comment Period End	08/19/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4309. • FAR CASE 95-024, INDEPENDENT RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT/BID AND PROPOSAL IN COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-18(e)

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend the cost principle regarding allowability of the cost for independent research and development. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31796
NPRM Comment Period End	08/19/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4310. • FAR CASE 95-021, FOREIGN SELLING COSTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-38(c)(2)

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To amend the cost principle regarding allowability of foreign selling costs. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and

Budget review under Executive Order dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31800
NPRM Comment Period End	08/19/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4311. • FAR CASE 95-020, COSTS RELATED TO LEGAL/OTHER PROCEEDINGS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-47(b); 48 CFR 31.205-47(c); 48 CFR 31.205-47(e)(3)

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To award the cost principle governing the allowability of costs related to litigation. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31790
NPRM Comment Period End	08/19/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4312. • FAR CASE 96-311, CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS - DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 9.406-2; 48 CFR 9.407-2; 48 CFR 13.111(h); 48 CFR 13.111(i); 48 CFR 23.504; 48 CFR 23.505; 48 CFR 23.506; 48 CFR 52.233-5; 48 CFR 52.233-6

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: To delete the requirement for an offeror to provide a certification regarding a drug-free workplace. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31814
NPRM Comment Period End	08/19/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4313. • FAR CASE 93-603, PERFORMANCE INCENTIVES FOR FIXED-PRICE CONTRACTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

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CFR Citation: 48 CFR 16.204; 48 CFR 16.403-3; 48 CFR 16.405; 48 CFR 16.406; 48 CFR 52.216-16; 48 CFR 52.216-17

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: To allow performance incentives alone and not just when performance incentives are coupled with cost incentives. Thus award fees will be allowed in fixed-price contracts. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1996.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31798
NPRM Comment Period End	08/19/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AH07

4314. • FAR CASE 95-309, AGENCY PROCUREMENT PROTESTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: EO 12979

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 33.103

Legal Deadline: Other, Statutory, April 22, 1996.

RIN was published as interim rulemaking in Federal Acquisition Circular 90-40.

Abstract: To provide for informal, procedurally simple, and inexpensive resolution of protests. This interim rule implements Executive Order 12979, which was signed by the President on October 25, 1995. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	07/26/96	61 FR 39219
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4315. • FAR CASE 96-300, GRATUITIES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 3.202; 48 CFR 52.203-3

Legal Deadline: Other, Statutory, July 26, 1996.

RIN was published as an interim rulemaking in Federal Acquisition Circular 90-40.

Abstract: To implement section 801 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1996(Public Law 104-106), which amended 10 U.S.C. 2207, generally referred to as the Gratuities Act, to make it applicable only to contracts exceeding the simplified acquisition threshold. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Interim Final Rule	07/26/96	61 FR 39199
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a

statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4316. • FAR CASE 96-304; PREAWARD DEBRIEFINGS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 14.503-1(g); 48 CFR 15.612(f); 48 CFR 15.10; 48 CFR 36.607(b)

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.

Abstract: The rule requires that, prior to contract award, contracting officers provide a debriefing to any interested offeror on the reasons for that offeror's exclusion from the competitive range in a competitive negotiation. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866 dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/24/96	61 FR 32580
NPRM Comment Period End	08/23/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4317. • FAR CASE 95-311, SERVICE CONTRACTING**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Legal Authority:** 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 7.103; 48 CFR 7.105; 48 CFR 15.611; 48 CFR 16.104; 48 CFR 16.402-2; 48 CFR 16.404-1; 48 CFR 37.000; 48 CFR 37.1; 48 CFR 37.5; 48 CFR 46.103; 48 CFR 46.401; 48 CFR 46.407; 48 CFR 52.237-00**Legal Deadline:** None**Abstract:** To implement Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP) Policy Letter 91-2, Service Contracting (previously considered under withdrawn FAR Case 91-85, Services Contracting). The OFPP policy letter prescribes policies and procedures for use of performance-based contracting methods. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/01/96	61 FR 40284
NPRM Comment Period End	09/30/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson, FAR Secretariat, DOD/GSA/NASA (FAR), GSA (MVRs-FAR Secretariat), 18th & F Streets NW., Washington, DC 20405
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Fax: 202 501-4067**RIN:** 9000-AH14**4318. • FAR CASE 96-303, COMPETITIVE RANGE DETERMINATIONS****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Reinventing Government:** This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.**Legal Authority:** PL 104-106**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 6.101; 48 CFR 12.301; 48 CFR 15.407; 48 CFR 52.212-1**Legal Deadline:** NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.**Abstract:** To implement sections 4101 and 4103 of the Federal Acquisition Reform Act of 1996. The rule provides the contracting officer with the authority to limit the size of the competitive range, in accordance with criteria specified in the solicitation, to the greatest number that will permit an efficient competition. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/31/96	61 FR 40116
NPRM Comment Period End	09/30/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson, FAR Secretariat, DOD/GSA/NASA (FAR), GSA (MVRs-FAR Secretariat), 18th & F Sts. NW., Washington, DC 20405
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Fax: 202 501-4067**RIN:** 9000-AH15**4319. • FAR CASE 96-308, IMPLEMENTATION OF COMMERCIALY AVAILABLE OFF-THE-SHELF ITEM ACQUISITION PROVISIONS OF THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REFORM ACT****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Reinventing Government:** This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.**Legal Authority:** PL 104-106, sec 4203**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 2.101; 48 CFR 3.104-10(c); 48 CFR 3.503; 48 CFR 12.301; 48 CFR 12.7; 48 CFR 15.106-1; 48 CFR 19.508; 48 CFR 25.605; 48 CFR 27.409; 48 CFR 52.212-4; 48 CFR 52.212-00**Legal Deadline:** NPRM, Statutory, September 7, 1996.**Abstract:** The Federal Acquisition Regulatory Council solicited comments regarding the implementation of section 4203 of the Federal Acquisition Reform Act (Pub. L. 104-106)(the Act) with respect to Commercially Available Off-the-Shelf Item Acquisitions. The Act requires the FAR to list provisions of law that are inapplicable to contracts for the acquisition of commercially available off-the-shelf items. Certain laws have already been determined to be inapplicable to all commercial items as a result of the implementation of the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994 (see FAR 12.503).**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	05/13/96	61 FR 22010
ANPRM Comment Period End	06/28/96	
NPRM	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. The agency has not yet determined whether there is a paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson, FAR Secretariat, DOD/GSA/NASA (FAR), GSA (MVRs-FAR Secretariat), 18th & F Sts. NW., Washington, DC 20405
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Fax: 202 501-4067**RIN:** 9000-AH25**4320. • FAR CASE 95-018, FINAL INDIRECT COST RATES****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Legal Authority:** 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 42.704(e); 48 CFR 42.705; 48 CFR 52.216-7(d)(4); 48 CFR 52.216-7(h); 48 CFR 52.216-8(b); 48 CFR 52.216-10(c); 48 CFR 52.216-13(c)(4); 48 CFR 52.216-13(h); 48 CFR 52.216-9(c)**Legal Deadline:** None**Abstract:** This rule revises procedures relating to final indirect cost rates.**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/28/96	61 FR 26766

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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	07/29/96	
Final Action	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined
Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4321. FAR CASE 89-23, PROCUREMENT INTEGRITY

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1; 48 CFR 3; 48 CFR 4; 48 CFR 9; 48 CFR 15; 48 CFR 37; 48 CFR 43; 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Case Closed Case superseded by RIN 9000-AH19, FAR Case 96-314	06/08/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4323. FAR CASE 91-27, PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 28; 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39187
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4325. FAR CASE 91-106, CHILD CARE SERVICES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 37.101; 48 CFR 37.103

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: Organizations

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AF31

4322. FAR CASE 91-31, CONTRACT AWARD-SEALED BIDDING

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AE41

4324. FAR CASE 91-28, INDIAN-OWNED ENTERPRISES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 26; 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39187
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4326. FAR CASE 92-301, FEDERAL COURTS ADMINISTRATION ACT

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 33.201; 48 CFR 33.202; 48 CFR 33.204; 48 CFR 33.207; 48 CFR 33.208; 48 CFR 33.210; 48 CFR 33.211; 48 CFR 33.214; 48 CFR 42.302; 48 CFR 52.233-1

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4327. FAR CASE 93-606, IMPLEMENTATION OF MOU BETWEEN THE USA AND THE EEC ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT AND SANCTIONS IMPOSED ON THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY**Priority:** Other Significant**CFR Citation:** 48 CFR 14.201-6; 48 CFR 15.407; 48 CFR 17.203(h); 48 CFR 25.109; 48 CFR 25.202; 48 CFR 25.205; 48 CFR 25.4; 48 CFR 25.10; 48 CFR 52.214-34; 48 CFR 52.214-35; 48 CFR 52.225-8; 48 CFR 52.225-9; 48 CFR 52.225-15 to 52.225-19**Completed:**

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31613
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson
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Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson
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Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	04/29/96	61 FR 18921
Final Action Effective	06/28/96	

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson
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Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31613
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson
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Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson
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Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31615
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson
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Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31613
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Procurement:** This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.**Agency Contact:** Beverly Fayson

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4334. FAR CASE 92-27, QUALITY ASSURANCE NONCONFORMANCE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 46.101; 48 CFR 46.103(c) to 46.103(e); 48 CFR 46.407(c)(1); 48 CFR 46.407(d); 48 CFR 46.407(f)

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Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4335. FAR CASE 92-48, FLUCTUATING EXCHANGE RATES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 25.501; 48 CFR 25.502; 48 CFR 52.225-4

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4336. FAR CASE 93-5, EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION COSTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 22.101-2; 48 CFR 31.001; 48 CFR 31.205-6; 48 CFR 42.302(a)(1); 48 CFR 42.1300 to 42.1306

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4337. FAR CASE 93-6, LEGISLATIVE LOBBYING COSTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-22; 48 CFR 31.205-30

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4338. FAR CASE 93-20, RECORDS RETENTION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.201-2

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4339. FAR CASE 93-22, TRAVEL COSTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-46
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4340. FAR CASE 93-615, USE OF CONVICT LABOR

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 22.201; 48 CFR 52.222-3

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31613
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4341. FAR CASE 92-31, QUALITY ASSURANCE ACTIONS, ELECTRONIC SCREENING

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 46.101

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.
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4342. FAR CASE 92-39, MASTER SUBCONTRACTING PLANS
Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 19.704(b); 48 CFR 52.219-9
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
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Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.
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4343. FAR CASE 92-302, SMALL BUSINESS COMPETITIVENESS DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM
Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 19.1001; 48 CFR 19.1005; 48 CFR 19.1006
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
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Small Entities Affected: Businesses
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.
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4344. FAR CASE 93-304, DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT AMENDMENTS
Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 34.1; 48 CFR 52.234-1
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
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Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.
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4345. FAR CASE 94-3, TERMINATION INVENTORY SCHEDULES
Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 49.105; 48 CFR 49.206-3; 48 CFR 49.303-2; 48 CFR 52.249-2; 48 CFR 52.249-3; 48 CFR 52.249-5; 48 CFR 52.249-6; 48 CFR 52.249-11
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39187
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.
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4346. FAR CASE 94-9, INTERDIVISIONAL TRANSFERS
Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-26
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Case closed Case superseded by RIN 9000-AG30, FAR Case 94-721.	09/18/95	

Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.
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RIN: 9000-AG14

4347. FAR CASE 94-771, MICRO-PURCHASE PROCEDURES
Priority: Other Significant
Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.603-3; 48 CFR 3.104-4; 48 CFR 4.800; 48 CFR 13.101; 48 CFR 13.105; 48 CFR 13.106; 48 CFR 13.502; 48 CFR 13.601; 48 CFR 13.603; 48 CFR 25.100
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39186
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.
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RIN: 9000-AG26

4348. FAR CASE 92-50, DOUBLE-SIDED COPY
Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 4.000; 48 CFR 4.3; 48 CFR 52.204-4
Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31612
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None
Government Levels Affected: Federal
Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no

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4349. FAR CASE 93-307, OZONE EXECUTIVE ORDER

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 23.8; 48 CFR 52.223-11; 48 CFR 52.223-12

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31613
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4350. FAR CASE 95-9, QUICK CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 42.708(a); 48 CFR 52.216-7; 48 CFR 52.216-13

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31614
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG57

4351. FAR CASE 92-34, FAR CERTIFICATIONS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 3; 48 CFR 4; 48 CFR 8; 48 CFR 9; 48 CFR 25; 48 CFR

36; 48 CFR 42; 48 CFR 47; 48 CFR 52; 48 CFR 53

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Case closed RIN was superseded by RIN 9000-AH23.	07/08/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG61

4352. FAR CASE 94-712, MULTIYEAR CONTRACTING

Priority: Other Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 19; 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39187
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG63

4353. FAR CASE 93-10, LEGAL PROCEEDINGS COSTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.205-47

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	08/08/96	61 FR 41466
Final Action Effective	10/07/96	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG65

4354. FAR CASE 95-007, RESPONSIBILITY DETERMINATIONS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 9.105-1; 48 CFR 9.106-1

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39186
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4355. FAR CASE 95-305, FEDERAL ACQUISITION AND COMMUNITY RIGHT-TO-KNOW

Priority: Other Significant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 23; 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	08/08/96	61 FR 41473
Final Action Effective	10/07/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4356. FAR CASE 95-002, APPLICATION OF COST ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD REGULATIONS TO EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 30.201; 48 CFR 30.202-7; 48 CFR 30.202-8; 48 CFR 30.5; 48 CFR 30.602; 48 CFR 30.603; 48 CFR 42.302; 48 CFR 52.230

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	04/29/96	61 FR 18916
Final Action Effective	04/29/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 9000-AG71

4357. FAR CASE 93-303, DISASTER RELIEF ACT

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 6; 48 CFR 26

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39200
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4358. FAR CASE 95-304, URUGUAY ROUND

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 25; 48 CFR 52

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31645
Final Action Effective	06/20/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4359. FAR CASE 95-303, RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN FOREIGN PURCHASES

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 25.7; 48 CFR 52.225-11

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	08/08/96	61 FR 41475
Final Action Effective	10/07/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4360. FAR CASE 93-009, CONTINGENT FEE REPRESENTATION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 1.1; 48 CFR 3.4; 48 CFR 4.803; 48 CFR 13.111; 48 CFR 31.205-38; 48 CFR 52.203-4; 48 CFR 52.203-5; 48 CFR 53.203; 48 CFR 53.301-119

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39188
Final Action Effective	09/24/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4361. FAR CASE 94-767, ASSIGNMENT OF CLAIMS—PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATION

Priority: Other Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 32.803; 48 CFR 32.806

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	04/29/96	61 FR 18920
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4362. FAR CASE 94-011, PREDETERMINED INDIRECT COST RATES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 16.307; 48 CFR 42.705-3; 48 CFR 52.216-15

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31621
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4363. FAR CASE 94-606, PART 31 AGENCY SUPPLEMENTS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 31.100; 48 CFR 31.101

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31655
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4364. FAR CASE 92-001, INSPECTION CLAUSES—FIXED

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 52.246-2; 48 CFR 52.246-4; 48 CFR 52.246-7; 48 CFR 52.246-12; 48 CFR 52.246-13

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31665
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4365. FAR CASE 95-004, NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL SECURITY PROGRAM OPERATING MANUAL (NISPOM)

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 4.402; 48 CFR 4.403; 48 CFR 4.404; 48 CFR 27.207-1; 48 CFR 52.204-2

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31617
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4366. FAR CASE 95-030, CARIBBEAN BASIN COUNTRIES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 25.402

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31649
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4367. FAR CASE 95-027, ARMED SERVICES PRICING MANUAL

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 15.805-1

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31620
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4368. FAR CASE 95-603, SOLICITATION PROVISIONS - CONTRACT CLAUSES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 52.210-1

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31663
Final Action Effective	08/19/96	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4369. FAR CASE 96-302, JUSTIFICATION AND APPROVAL THRESHOLDS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant
CFR Citation: 48 CFR 6

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	06/20/96	61 FR 31618
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4370. • FAR CASE 94-782, SMALL BUSINESS/SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION THRESHOLD

Priority: Other Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 103-355, sec 4004

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 19.102; 48 CFR 19.502-2; 48 CFR 19.508; 48 CFR

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19.811-3; 48 CFR 52.219-6; 48 CFR 52.219-7; 48 CFR 52.219-18

Legal Deadline: Final, Statutory, October 5, 1996.

Abstract: This final rule amends FAR part 19 and the clauses at 52.219-6, 52.219-7, and 52.219-18 to implement Section 4004 of the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994 (Public Law 103-355). Section 4004 amends Section 15(j) of the Small Business Act (15 USC 644(j)) to reserve each contract for supplies or services that has an anticipated value greater than \$2,500, but not greater than \$100,000, for exclusive participation by small business concerns, unless the contracting officer is unable to obtain offers from two or more small business concerns that are competitive with regard to price, quality, and delivery. This rule also reflects a final rule published by the Small Business Administration at 13 CFR 121.406, which provides that, where the procurement of a manufactured item is processed under FAR Part 13 procedures, set aside for small business concerns, and not expected to exceed \$25,000, an offeror need not supply the end product of a small business concern as long as the product is manufactured or produced in the United States.

Timetable:

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Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39207
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Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4371. • FAR CASE 95-308, GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE PATENT AUTHORIZATION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 40 USC 486(c); 10 USC 2301 to 2331; 42 USC 2473(c)

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 27.209

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This rule provides internal Government guidance for situations involving use of a patent without authorization from the patent holder. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	07/26/96	61 FR 39211
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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is no statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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4372. • FAR CASE 96-315; VALUE ENGINEERING

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

Legal Authority: PL 104-106, sec 4306

CFR Citation: 48 CFR 48.001; 48 CFR 48.102

Legal Deadline: NPRM, Statutory, August 26, 1996.

Abstract: To revise the definition of value engineering and to require agencies to establish and maintain cost-effective value engineering procedures and processes. This regulatory action was not subject to Office of Management and Budget review under Executive Order 12866, dated September 30, 1993.

Timetable:

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Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is no paperwork burden associated with this action.

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